



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

application of : Attorney Docket No. 2006\_0446A  
Peter HEROLD et al. : Confirmation No. 7425  
Serial No. 10/574,108 : Group Art Unit 1624  
Filed March 31, 2006 : Examiner Kahsay Habte  
ORGANIC COMPOUNDS : Mail Stop: AMENDMENT

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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action of December 16, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows: